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CAPE COLONY.—In the course of the week ended May 25, 21 patients were received at the plague hospital in Cape Town. On May 25 there were still 103 plague patients in the hospital, among them being 33 Europeans.

During the last week of May, according to newspaper reports there were recorded in Port Elizabeth 2 fresh cases and in Simonstown 1 case of plague.

QUEENSLAND.—According to the official weekly bulletins, there occurred in the colony during the week ended May 4, 2 fresh plague cases, namely, in the town of Brisbane. On May 4 there were still 9 plague patients under treatment, and to these figures are to be added the 3 fresh cases.

WEST AUSTRALIA.—During the two weeks from April 27 to May 11, according to official bulletins, 2 further plague cases occurred, 1 ending fatally.

Cholera.

BRITISH INDIA.—During the period from May 12 to May 18, there occurred 77 deaths in Calcutta from cholera.

Respectfully,

FRANK H. MASON,
United States Consul-General.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

GUATEMALA.

Report from Livingston—Fruit port.

LIVINGSTON, GUATEMALA, June 30, 1901.

SIR: I have to make the following report of the conditions and transactions at this port during the week ended June 30, 1901:

Present officially estimated population, 3,000.

Number of cases and deaths from yellow fever during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from smallpox during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from typhus fever during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from cholera during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from plague during the week, none; number of deaths from other causes during the week, none. Prevailing disease, intermittent malarial fever.

General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week was excellent.

Bill of health was issued to the following vessel: June 24, steamship *Helvetia*; crew, 52; passengers from this port, 25; passengers in transit, none; pieces of baggage disinfected, 31, sprinkling with formaldehyd.

Respectfully,

W. K. FORT,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

HONDURAS.

Report from Puerto Cortez—Fruit port.

PUERTO CORTEZ, HONDURAS, July 2, 1901.

SIR: I have to make the following report of the conditions and transactions at this port during the week ended July 2, 1901:

Population according to census of 1896, 1,856. Present officially estimated population, 2,000.